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RESPONSE AND AMENDMENTPittsburgh, PA 15222
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Sir:

This is a response to the Office Action for the above-referenced application mailed January 21, 2005, having a shortened statutory period set to expire April 21, 2005. Applicants submit the following amendments and remarks.

A recitation of the claims begins on page 2 of this Response and Amendment.

The Remarks section begins on page 6 of this Response and Amendment.

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